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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: HOSPITAL DEVELOPMENT

REF: STATE 203097

1. WE HAVE NOT COMPLETED INVESTIGATION RE POSSIBLE GOZ HOSPITAL DEVELOPMENT BUT WE WISH TO PROVIDE FOLLOWING INTERIM REPORT.

2. ACCORDING TO AN AMERICAN HEALTH CONSULTANT ASSIGNED TO GOZ HEALTH MINISTRY WHO WORKS CLOSELY WITH STATE COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH NGWETE AND OTHER TOP GOZ HEALTH OFFICIALS, GOZ HAS VERY LONG-RANGE PLANS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF NEW HOSPITALS IN MBANDAKA AND AT ANOTHER LOCATION SOMEWHERE IN THE KIVU REGION. IT IS NOT LIKELY, HOWEVER, THAT THE GOZ WILL BE MOVING AHEAD WITH THESE PROJECTS SINCE (A) DEVELOPMENT FUNDS OR OTHER FINANCING IS NOT AVAILABLE AND (B) GOZ DOES NOT HAVE THE PERSONNEL TO ADEQUATELY STAFF ITS EXISTING HOSPITALS. LOCAL USAID HEALTH PLANNERS BELIEVE THAT GOZ WILL FOCUS ITS LIMITED RESOURCES ON IMPROVING SERVICES OFFERED BY THE PRESENT PHYSICAL PLANT.

3. WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT WITH A HIGH-LEVEL GOZ HEALTH OFFICIAL TO CONFIRM SUBSTANCE OF PARA 2 AND WILL ADVISE DEPT ASAP.  
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